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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT for the patent application:

Application No. : 10/069,632
Applicant(s) : Robert Richard Dykstra
Filed : February 26, 2002
Title : Fast-Acting Formulation Components, Compositions And Laundry Methods Employing Same
TC/A.U. : 1751
Examiner : Gregory R. Del Cotto
Conf. No. : 3363
Docket No. : 7753
Customer No. : 27752

1. ☒ No additional fees (claims fees or extension fees) are known to be required.
2. ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
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TOTAL	* 17	MINUS	** 21	= 0	x \$18 =	\$0
INDEP.	* 2	MINUS	*** 3	= 0	x \$86 =	\$0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+ \$290 =	\$0
					TOTAL	\$0

- * If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
** If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
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The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

3. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR §1.136(a) to grant any extension of time needed for timely response to the Office Action dated 3/24/04 in the above-identified application to preserve pendency of said application. The processing fee under 37 CFR §1.17 has been determined as follows: \$0 for a 0-month extension of time.
4. The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-2480. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
 - a. ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.16.
 - b. ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17.
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REPLY AND AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

In response to the Office Action of March 24, 2004, the time for response being extended by (0) zero months, please reconsider such application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 23 of this paper.